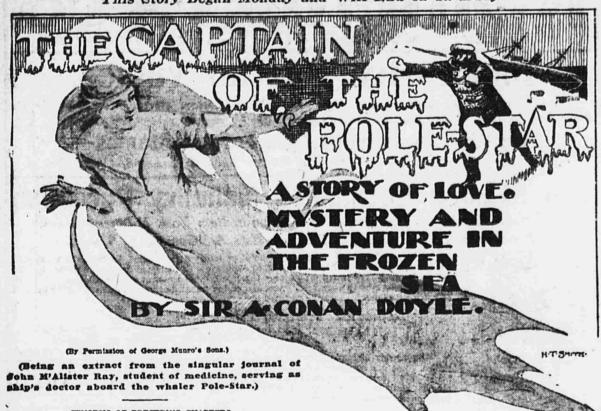
Meissonnier

This Story Began Monday and Will End on Saturday.



ance at the office and a substitute had to be selected in his

When he turned up again next spring he had a puckered

Whether the mate's inference that he had been engaged

in the war is true or not I cannot say. It was certainly a

The wind is veering around in an easterly direction, but

is still very slight. I think the ice is lying closer than it did

is one wide expanse of spotless white, only broken by an

occasional rift or the dark shadow of a hummock. To the

south there is the narrow lane of blue water which is our sole means of escape, and which is closing up every day.

I hear that the tank of potatoes has been finished and ever

day at the crow's nest, sweeping the horizon with his glass.

society, but there has been no repetition of the violence

My deliberate opinion is that we are commanded by

Nothing else can account for the extraordinary vagaries

any sort of restraint-a step which I should only consent to

Curiously enough it was he himself who suggested lunacy

and not mere eccentricity as the secret of his strange con-

and down the quarterdeck. The majority of the men were

below at their tea, for the watches have not been regularly

Tired of walking, I leaned against the bulwarks and ad

What companion is there like the great restless, throb-

bing sea? What human mood is there which it does not

There are none so gay but that they may feel gayer when

they listen to its merry turmoil, and see the long green

surges racing in, with the glint of the sunbeams in their

When it is calm the surface is as clear and bright as

which horror, surprise and something approaching to joy

In spite of the cold, great drops of perspiration were cours-

"Look!" he gasped, seizing me by the wrist, but still keep-

uttered the last two words in a whisper of concen-

ing his eyes upon the distant ice and moving his head slowly

saloon skylights, where he leaned panting and exhausted.

His face was so livid that I expected him to become un

conscious, so lost no time in leading him down the companion

and stretching him upon one of the sofas in the cabin. I

then poured him out some brandy, which I held to his lips

and which had a wonderful effect upon him, bringing the

"You saw it, didn't you?" he asked, still in the same sub-

His head sunk back again upon the cushions. "No, h

(To Be Continued.)

OUEEN ALEXANDRA'S BAD TEA.

When her father was a struggling Prince, with large

prospects and a limited income, Queen Alexandra is said to

have done light housekeeping and sewed her own frocks.

She ea's sparingly of simple food, in order to keep the

"It is no better than pig wash," said a disgusted and too

as prepared by the Queen. In consequence he has a separate

slimness of her figure, but as an advocate of tea drinking

made by her hands, says the Detroit News.

dued, awesome tone so foreign to the nature of the man.

ing down his forehead and he was evidently fearfully ex-

The captain is taking a heavy responsibility upon himself

conceal with his cravat

strange coincidence.

of Capt. Craigie.

As a last resource.

kept of late.

sparkling crests.

ing limbs.

beside him.

"No, I saw nothing."

in! He'll think I'm mad!"

things domestic.

ice fields which surround us.

match and sympathize with?

which is as gloomy as his own thoughts.

were contending for the mastery.

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS. John McAlister Ray, a Scotch medical student, is engaged to a young ri named Flora, in his own country. To gain enough money to marry he ships as surgeon aboard the whaler "Pole-Star." September finds som far north and in imminent peril of being ice-bound for the winter, so crew almost reach the point of mutiny, so great is their dealers to turn home. Capt. Cragie, however, refuses to return. This captain is strange man whose history no one knows, but who labors under some while hidden sorrow or mystery. The discontent of the crew is augmented by a rumor that the ship is haunted. Weird sounds have accompanied her throughout the voyage, and Manson, the second mate, tells seeing a ghostly white form like that of a woman gliding among the serioes. Ray is unable to shake the crew's terrified belief that some pernatural presence is following the "Pole-Star."

CHAPTER II.

THAT is his story, given as far as I can in his own words. I fancy what he saw must, in spite of his denial, have been a young bear erect upon its hind legs-an attitude which they often assume when alarmed.

In the uncertain light this would bear a resemblance to a human figure, especially to a man whose nerves were already somewhat shaken. Whatever it may have been, the occurrence is unfortunate, for it has produced a most unpleasant effect upon the crew.

Their looks are more sullen and their discontent more open. The double grievance of being debarred from the hersing fishing and of being detained in what they choose to call a haunted vessel may lead them to do something rash. Even the harpooners, who are the oldest and steadjest

smong them, are joining in the general agitation. Apart from this absurd outbreak of superstition things are looking rather more cheerful.

The pack which was forming to the south of us has partly cleared away, and the water is so warm as to lead me to believe that we are lying in one of those branches of the Gulf Stream which run up between Greenland and Spitz-

There are numerous small medusae and sea lemons about the ship, with ahundance of shrimps, so that there is every possibility of "fish" being sighted. Indeed, one was seen blowing about dinner time, but in such a position that it was mired the mellow glow cast by the sinking sun upon the great empossible for the boats to follow it.

The Captain had strange theories of his own. As we sat in the cabin that evening he entertained me with them thus: The solar system, amid a countless number of other syssams as large as itself, rolls ever silently through space in the direction of the constellation of Hercules. The great pheres of which it is composed spin and spin through the

sternal void ceaselessly and noiselessly. "Of these one of the smallest and most insignificant is that conglomeration of solid and of liquid particles which

me have named the earth. "It whirls onward now as it has done before my birth and will do after my death-a revolving mystery, coming

outer crust of this moving mass crawl

aimlessly through space. Yet such is the state of things mong us that the little energy and glimmering of reason is entirely taken up with the labors which wherewith I may purchase the chemical elements necessary to build up my ever-wasting tissues, and keep a roof over me to shelter me from the inclemency of the weather.

"I thus have no thought to expend upon the vital questions which surround me on every side. Yet, miserable entity as I am, I could at one time feel some degree of happiness

that they appear for the most part to dislike me. I hate great drove of the human race pass onward with their politics and inventions and tittle-tattle, and I remained behind stagment and happy. Not stagment either, for I was work ing in my own little groove, and making progress.

"At night I read Bacon, Descartes, Spinoza, Kant-all those who have pried into what is unknowable. They are all fruitless and empty, Garren of result, but prodigal of polysyllables, reminding me of men who, while digging for gold, have turned up many worms, and then exhibit them exultantly as being what they sought. At times a restless spirit would come upon me, and I would walk thirty and forty miles without rest or breaking fast. On these occa sions, when I used to stalk through the country villages. gaunt, unshaven and dishevelled, the mothers would rush into the road and drag their children indoors, and the rustics would swarm out of their pot-houses to gaze at me."

Sept. 13 .- Had an interesting conversation with the chie mate, Mr. Milne, upon the bridge. It seems that our captain is as great an enigma to the seamen, and even to the owners of the vessel, as he has been to me.

Mr. Milne tells me that when the ship is paid off, upor seen again until the approach of another season, when he walks quietly into the office of the company and asks whether He has no friend in Dundee, nor does any one pretend to

be acquainted with his early history.

His position depends entirely upon his skill as a seaman and the name for courage and coolness which he had carned gold. So complete, however, is her ignorance of the art of in the capacity of mate before being intrusted with a sepamand. The unanimous opinion seems to be that ne is not a Scotchman, and that his name is an assumed one. Mr. Milne thinks that he has devoted himself to whaling plain-spoken peer, who could not refuse to drink an after-

simply for the reason that it is the most dangerous occupa-noon potion when brewed by his sovereign lady.

The King is the only member of the royal household who sible manner. He mentioned several instances of this, dares confess that he can't and won't drink the beverage

one of which is rather curjous if true. tray and makes tea with his own hands every afternoon.

BRIEF CHAPTERS IN THE HISTORY OF NEW YORK.

WRITTEN EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE EVENING WORLD HOME MAGAZINE.

> BY ANDREW H. GREEN. "The Father of Greater New York,"

II.—THE RULE OF THE ENGLISH.

TAMES, DUKE OF YORK, held patent to the territory so easily wrested from the Dutch and he governed from 1664 to 1673 through Col. Richard Niccolls, a gentle administrator, who changed the name from New Am sterdam to New York. He was followed by Francis Lovelace.

Then the Dutch as easily retook the city and Capt. Colve, an old sea dog. held it fifteen months. The old name o f New Amsterdam was restored. Colve was quiotly dispossessed when by the treaty of Westminster the Dutch abandoned their claims to New Netherland.

Edmund Andros came as Governor in 1674. He was knighted by Charles and on his retirement Thomas Dongan came. The city had grown to Wall necklaces, etc., which wise men write books about and bestreet; the Dutch were still dominant in the population and riost numerous in the councils of the city. They were strenuous advocates of government by the people, and through insistence won concession after concession until in 1686 a charter was granted, the city corporation was created with the privilege of election by the people of six Aldermen and six assistants, the Governor reserving the right to appoint all other officers. The Dutch officers Schout, Burgomasters and Schepen were replaced by Mayor, Aldermen and

In 1687 measures were taken to build a new street along East River or sunset and opened at daylight. The sale of liquors was regulated, sanitary measures established and markets provided.

Intering the Landing They have a sunset and opened at daylight. The sale of liquors was regulated, sanitary measures established and markets provided. place. That was at the time of the last Russian and Turkwound in the side of his neck which he used to endeavor to

James became King and consolidated the provinces of New England, New York and New Jersey under Andos, one of the ablest Governors, who appointed a Lientenant and resided much of the time in Boston. On the receipt of news that William of Orange had landed in England Boston imprisoned Andros and Nicholson fled.

New York had a small garrison and four train bands of militia, the yesterday. As far as the eye can reach on every side there latter recruited principally from the Dutch, although the population was so cosmopolitan that one writer says eight languages were spoken by the citizens of New York. Jacob Leisler, who came from Frankfort, Germany, in 1660, was senior captain. When news of what had been done in Boston reached the people of New York the militia gathered at the fort. The captains took command, and, ignoring the council of the absent Lieutenantthe biscuits are running short, but he preserves the same Governor, ruled for ten days, when, a Committee of Safety having been impassible countenance and spends the greater part of the formed, Leisler was named by it Lieutenant-Governor.

His manner is very variable and fie seems to avoid my Then William and Mary, having established themselves upon the English throne, considered the far-off colonies and sent a Governor, Sloughter. Troops were sent on another ship under Major Ingoldesby, who arrived in January, 1691, nearly three months in advance of Sloughter. He demanded the fort of Leisler, who asked for Ingoldesby's credentials, and, being re-It is fortunate that I kept this journal of our voyage, as fused, declined to surrender any part of his power. it will serve to justify us in case we have to put him under

When Sloughter came the obstinate Leisler, his son-in-law, Milborne, and six of his Council were tried on charges of treason and convicted, although they had yielded to the first showing of the William and Mary commission to the Governor. Leisler and Milborne were hastily hanged and duct. He was standing upon the bridge about an hour ago, beheaded, but later Parliament and the Throne vindicated them, restored peering as usual through the glass, while I was walking up their estates to their heirs and released the six members of the Council. To the common people of the city Leisler and Milborne were martyrs, and from their adherents grew the great party of the Revolution.

Sloughter died in office, and historians speak slightingly of his character and acts. Ingoldesby ruled briefly, and was succeeded by Gov. Benjamin Fletcher in 1696.

There were then 594 houses in New York, and the city was flourishing. Its citizens had long held a monopoly in the bolting of flour, in which Fletcher confirmed them. Nassau street was opened and a night watch of four men with rattles was established. But Fletcher had a large territory to govern and gave little attention to the city's growth or its needs. Trinity Church was established in the early days of his rule, against the opposition But when the gray waves toss their heads in anger, and the wind screams above them, goading them on to madder of the Dutch and the independent English. The building was completed in and more tumultuous efforts, then the darkest-minded of 1698 on the site of the present church.

men feels that there is a melancholy principle in nature William Bradford, a printer, who had been thrown in prison at Philadelphia for printing a pamphlet against the Quakers, was invited to New sheet of silver, broken only at one spot, where a long black York by Gov. Fletcher's Council and established the first press of the first line projects out of the water looking like the jagged back newspaper, the New York Gazette, on the island of Manhattan in 1693. of some sleeping monster. When the wind blows from the

During all these years of English rule Long Island settlements had paid east the waves break upon it like thunder, and the spray is slight attention to the King's laws and the Governor fallen by a hoarse voice at my elbow, and turning around I arose. New York merchants were said to have backed the enterprises of found that the captain had descended and was standing by Long Islanders, gaining great profits. Ships commissioned as privateers against the French sailed from the port of New York and merchantmen great predecessor. were sent out to revictual them and bring in the goods they gained. It was freely said that the privateers became actual pirates, and Robert Livingston. of Albany, who went to London to press claims for money advanced by him to Fletcher during an expedition against the French, charged that Fletcher BROHDWHY THEATRE, 41st st., B'way, TRY PROCTOR'S TO-DAY. cited. His limbs twitched like those of a man upon the verge of an epileptic fit, and the lines about his mouth were drawn was a partner of the pirates. The charges were tried before the Lords of Trade at Whitehall and sustained, but William disapproved of the finding, although he retired Fletcher and appointed Livingston's greatest friend, the Earl of Bellomont, Governor in his stead.

in a horizontal direction, as if following some object which It is notable that Livingston and Bellomont were the sponsors of William was moving across the field of vision. "Look! There, man, there! Between the hummocks! Now coming but from be-Kidd, whom they fitted with a ship and a King's commission to suppress hind the far one! You see her-you must see her! There still! Flying from me, by God, flying from me-and gone!" the pirates. Kidd recruited 150 scamen in New York, "desperate, necessitous men," wrote Fletcher to the Lords of Trade. "It is generally believed that trated agony which shall never fade from my remembrance. they will have money per fas aut nefas; that if he miss the design intended trated agony which shall never fade from my remembrance.

Clinging to the ratines, he endeavored to climb upon the top of the bulwarks as if in the hope of obtaining a last a horde of men under no pay."

In this he was justified, for Kidd became the most famous of pirates, that it he miss use design intended, for which he has commission, 'twill not be in Kidd's power to govern such top of the bulwarks as if in the hope of obtaining a last a horde of men under no pay."

In this he was justified, for Kidd became the most famous of pirates,

to the attempt, however, and he staggered back against the and it was many years before New York ceased to profit through that

THE COOK'S FAILURES.

blood back into his white face and steadying his poor shak-In making custards young cooks fre-quently fail. Here are an expert's reasee that we were alone he beckoned to me to come and sit sons for such failures and how to avoid

Boiled Custard Curdles During the Cooking Over the Fire.

Reason-It was allowed to overheat Remedy-If not very badly curdled. wouldn't without the glass," he murmured. "He couldn't. It was the glass that showed her to me, and then the eyes seconfuls of corn flour smoothly and of love-the eyes of love. I say, Doc, don't let the steward thinly with a little cold milk; boil. Add to the custard while quite hot another beaten egg.

Baked Custard Full of Holes and Liquid at Bottom of Dish. Reason-Oven too hot, so custard

Prevention-Stand the pie-dish in a

FALLACIOUS ADAGES.

This would be a sad old world if rules set down by the maxim-makers For instance:

she makes her own brew every day with a service of solid Silence may be golden, but few of u would advocate a social gold standard. cookery that her family avoid acceptance of even ica when Most of us are bimetallists and want something of sliver speech. Sounding brass, of course, we can get along comfortably without, says the Pittsburg Dispatch.

If a man only spoke when he had something to say the world would be has happy. It would eliminate all pleas- a war, MAT. In "THE MOCKING BIRD,"

ant greetings, all the harmless ohaff. all the sprightly badinage that go make life worth living.

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P. MORGAN is said to have been duped into buying spurious art treasures. But he was not duped in America. The gold-brick operation occurred in Europe America is not the home of the gold brick. For many facture for collectors and museums breastplates, crowns, lieve that these counterfelts were worn by great personages of the past. A number of these frauds have recently been

Elysees as on the Bowery.

In 1895 the Berlin Museum bought for a large sum a gold tiara which was said to have been dug up in Southern gold tiara which was said to have the grant out in a country of Russia and which the German historian Curtius said was self to the public. ancient Greek work. It has been recently found to be a fraud and has been removed from the museum.

Paris, in 1887, were confessed to be counterfelts only after furious campaigns against them in the Landtag. They have director, Herr Bode, announced triumphantly the acquisition M. Cordeil is a "restorer" of paintings. "The painting at Rome of a superb bust, "the portrait of a Duchess of was brought to me by M. de Reum," he explained. "M. Urbino," which he attributed to Desidera da Settignano. It Tedesco liked it and paid M. de Reum 4,000 francs for it. Tois simply a cast from a bust in painted stucco belonging to day the dealers, Tedesco and Petit, who sold for 12,000 free the collection of Count Wemys in London. So two of their what they bought for 4,000 francs, want to throw the blame most important ivories, "the gospel covers of St. Lupicin," on me, who made only a modest commission!" are modern copies of an original in the Paris National M. de Reum might, of course, have explained that be

THE GOLD BRICK HAS BEEN TRANSPLANTED IN EUROPE.



It has as Ready a Market on the Champs Corot fixes us on the value of expert assurances. Alexandre Dumas fils, himself a judge, bought this first-class Corot from the celebrated dealer and valuer. One day a visitor

"You mean a fine Corot," said Dumas. "No, it is a Trouillebert," insisted the other. So they

went with it to Trouillebert's studio. "It is mine," said the honest and conscientious pe rears Europe has had dishonest archaeologists who manu-M. Dumas, you do not doubt my good faith in the open

> high standing. He was not even a pupil of Corot's. Georges Petit returned the money, and both he and Dumas agreed to keep silence. A few years later, however, the tale came out in a country paper. Then Georges Petit explained him

raud and has been removed from the museum.

The Moabite antiquities bought by the Berlin Museum in Bros.," he said. "On taking it back from M. Dumas I re-

As for paintings, the history of Georges Petit's false but instead he preferred to say nothing.

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